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WESLEY G. CARSON SLASHES THROAT; DIES

**County Clerk Ends Life
In Field Near Stockdale;
Worry Over Inward Goitre
Affects Mind; Funeral Here**

Exalting faithful vigilance of relatives and determined in his efforts to take his own life, County Clerk Wesley G. Carson, of 1626 Summit street, life long Scio resident and well known in every section of the county, succeeded in carrying out his plan of self-destruction about four o'clock Friday afternoon when he slashed his windpipe and jugular vein with a small kitchen paring knife while in a field near the home of his mother, Mrs. I. N. Carson, a mile east of Stockdale in Pike county.

Impaired health which seemed to grow worse instead of improving despite all his efforts to seek relief, is said to have prompted the rash act which relatives had sought to prevent for sometime. The underlying cause for his ill health was said to be an inward goitre which while suffering from mental aberrations he ended his worries.

His continued ill health which failed to yield to treatment caused Mr. Carson to resign as county clerk just a few days ago. The resignation was to take effect the first of next month. Dismissing all the responsibilities of office from his mind Mr. Carson went to the farm home of his mother to rest and recuperate from his nervous breakdown.

Family Maintained Vigil
Yesterday it seemed he was more determined than ever in the past to take his own life for he mentioned it several times and it was these remarks that caused members of the family to exercise more caution than ever before in keeping out of sight any weapon or household implement which could be used for such purpose. In some unknown manner Mr. Carson managed to secure the paring knife and after hastening upstairs to his bedroom there attempted to cut his throat. This time though he was unsuccessful for his wife restrained him. He then broke away from her and ran from the house, through the yard and into the adjoining field. With the knife grasped in his left hand he could be seen slashing at his throat as he ran and it was not until after he had inflicted several deep and fatal cuts that he was overpowered by neighbors who hastened to the house in response to the cries and screams of the woman.

Oris Brown, Harley Brown and Joe Joseph Schwartz, an evangelist singer, who happened to be in the neighborhood, were the men who went to the aid of the woman and then started in pursuit of Mr. Carson. When they caught up with him they found blood spurting from the wounds on the throat.

First To Reach Carson
Harley Brown was the first of the men to reach Mr. Carson and he found him in his arms when he fell exhausted from the run and loss of blood. Mr. Carson lived less than ten minutes after Brown reached him. Dr. B. W. Tidd of Stockdale was called but Mr. Carson had expired before he arrived at the scene. The man carried him into the house and there it was examined by Coroner Daniel J. Wilson.

Mr. Carson, almost 40 years of age, had been at his mother's home since November except for a short while spent at the Sawyer sanatorium near Marion. Treatment there did not bring the relief sought and he returned to the farm to recuperate.

Harley Brown's Story
Harley Brown, one of the men summoned by members of the family to assist Mr. Carson, is distinctly shocked by the tragic affair. Mr. Brown said:

"Mr. Joe Schwartz and Oris Brown and I were together at my house yesterday afternoon about 3:45 when we were called to the Carson home. It was news that Mr. Carson was trying to kill himself.

"We ran over and saw him in the yard sharpening a knife on his belt and would not listen to us.

"We called to Wes, but he started away and would not listen to us.

"He had already cut himself once on the neck, and was bleeding when I first saw him.

"We ran after him for about fifty rods before we caught him. As he ran, Wes was slashing at his throat with the knife, which was clasped in his left hand.

"After we caught up with him I pinioned his arms to his side, and one of the others took the knife away from him. He was bleeding freely at the neck, on the left side, and lived about ten minutes after we caught up with him.

"Once he tried to speak, but was too weak from the loss of blood to complete the words. We were unable to make out what he wished to say.

"Wes had threatened suicide several times the past few days. His family thought they had removed all possible weapons from his reach, and the first inkling they had of his having the knife was yesterday afternoon about 3:30, when his wife saw him standing in a bed-room upstairs, looking into a mirror, with the knife in his hand.

"He had secreted the knife under a rug in his bedroom, it is believed, and the knife shows where it had been slipped down to a fine point.

"When Mrs. Carson saw her husband with the knife, she tried to take it away from him, and in the scuffle, Wes broke away, tearing his sweater. When he ran out of the house, we were called.

"After Wes had died, we brought a cot from the house, and carried the body home.

"We know Wes many years. He was a fine upstanding fellow, a fine character, and I tell you we all are mighty sorry to learn of his death."

Shirt Unfastened
Carson was dressed in light trousers and shoes, with a light shirt. Shirt and underclothes were unfastened at the neck, indicating that he had loosened them in contemplation of the fatal knife thrust.

All of the knife wounds were on the left hand side of his neck, and men who were attempting to restrain him declared that he held the instrument in his left hand. There was not a scratch on the right side of the neck. Undertaker J. L. Richards said the knife-thrusts had completely severed the windpipe and jugular vein. Death probably came without great physical pain, the hemorrhage causing the end, it was said.

A Popular Official
Wes G. Carson was one of the most popular men who ever held office in Scio county. For many years he was a piano salesman. Two years ago, while he was acting as field representative of the Portsmouth College of Business, Mr. Carson won the republican nomination for clerk, and the following November, he was elected by a handsome majority. He took office last September. Since that time his health has been failing steadily, nervous trouble being caused, it is believed, by the inward goitre which had undermined his health. Since late in November, he had been unable to attend to the duties of office, and expected to retire Feb. 1st. Recently he had voluntarily appeared before the county commissioners and tendered his resignation effective Feb. 1. Deputy John W. Hall was elected to succeed him.

Pleasing and Affable
Wes G. Carson numbered his friends in this county by the hundreds, and grief at the news of his death is genuine. Mr. Carson was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge, and of the First Baptist church, where he was a trustee. He was a kindly Christian gentleman, fond of home ties and the noble, true ideals of life, and filled with high purpose of his duty as an official.

Survived by One Son
Mr. Carson was married to Miss Jane Jones of Chaffins Mills, and they had one son, Robert. In addition to his widow, Mr. Carson is survived by his mother, Mrs. I. N. Carson, four brothers, George, Frank, Earl and Eugene, of this city, and two sisters, Miss Jennie at home, and Mrs. J. N. Hopkins, of Friendship.

**County Official Whose Long Period
Of Ill Health Ends In Tragic Death**



WES G. CARSON

Born Near Scioville

Mr. Carson was born on a farm north of Scioville, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac N. Carson. His father died in June, 1923. Mr. Carson would have been 40 years of age the fifteenth of next month. His young life was spent on the farm and in teaching school. He taught school in the Stockdale neighborhood for sometime and was well known in that section. After giving up teaching he engaged in the piano business in Portsmouth. News of the death of Mr. Carson spread rapidly about the court house yesterday afternoon, and everywhere genuine regret was expressed.

The four brothers of this city and Mrs. Hopkins of Friendship were summoned, and went to the home near Stockdale last night arriving shortly after the supper hour. Undertaker J. L. Richards of this city, was called and he took charge of the body. The remains will be brought to the home on Summit street early this evening and funeral services will be conducted from there Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock with Rev. H. Stewart Thibault of the First Baptist church in charge. Burial will be in Wheelock's cemetery.

NEEDED A MANAGER

CLEVELAND, O. Jan. 18.—Receivers for the Cleveland Discount company was necessary not to avoid insolvency, but to give the company a head, William A. David, one of the receivers, testified today before Federal Special Master P. L. A. Lehigh.

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Agricultural Notes

EDITORIAL NOTE—These articles are written by an expert and The Times unhesitatingly advises their careful reading. They will be of great profit to you.

Arrangements are being completed to make the second annual Corn and Grain Show at Lucasville, January 27th and 30th, a stellar agricultural attraction. This year's exhibit and program promises to excel by far the show of last year when the interest established this indoor farm exhibit and program as one of the high lights of Ohio's mid-winter agricultural fairs.

Each day will be featured by an educational program. On Tuesday, January 29th at 1 P. M. Mr. W. E. Hanger, of the Ohio State University Extension department, will give a seed corn "culling demonstration." This will be repeated on the following day. This feature illustrates the plan and value of good types of seed from inferior types, which will result directly on Scio county farms in better seed selection and therefore better quality crops and greater production.

The exhibits will be considered chiefly from the standpoint of seed quality, and farmers contemplating making an exhibit should make their selection with this in mind. All Scio county farmers are urged to make exhibits. There is no charge for exhibiting, while there are substantial premiums offered for the winning exhibits of corn and potatoes. All exhibits must be in by 10 o'clock Tuesday morning January 29th.

On the second day of the show, Mr. David Gerlach of the Ohio State University will discuss present day types of live stock. An illustrated lecture on legume crops will be a feature of the Tuesday night program. On the last night of the show the Lucasville High School will give a play.

Many local farmers are on the program which will be published next week.

Premium lists are being mailed out to all the farmers of the county. If any farmer interested in premium lists and rules governing exhibits has not received a copy and desires one it can be secured by writing County Agent W. F. Gahn, or R. P. Overhiser, mgr. of the show.

The management of this agricultural show invites and urges every farmer in the county and adjoining counties to attend this attraction. The educational features alone will be of incalculable value to grain and potato growers.

Cut Rate Railroad Fare To Farmers' Week
All Ohio railroads will offer a special rate amounting to three-quarters of the usual fare to persons coming to Columbus for Farmers' Week at the Ohio State University, Feb. 4-8.

The rate will be granted according to a plan tried out for the

first time last year, and found to work well. Previous attempts of the railroads to grant cut fares to agriculturists bent on learning more about their calling had been embarrassed by a certain number of persons who took advantage of the rate to come to Columbus without the least intention of attending Farmers' Week.

Farmers' Week visitors this year are advised to buy one-way tickets to Columbus at the usual rate. If the tickets cost more than 67 cents the reduced rate will apply, and to obtain it they must ask their ticket agent for a certificate. The Central Passenger Association making this announcement adds that these certificates are not kept at all stations, and that those who want them should apply for them through their station agents considerably ahead of time.

Certificates will be issued with tickets bought from Jan. 31 to Feb. 8, inclusive, and are not on any other dates. Tickets so bought will be good for return from Columbus up to Feb. 12.

The certificates are to be signed at the University by H. C. Hansower, director of extension, and validated by a railroad representative who will have a desk at "Townsend Hall on the campus all week.

Provided that at least 250 such certificates are presented, they will entitle the holders to a flat half-fare rate on their return to their home stations. There is practically no doubt that 250 certificates will be presented, say University officials. Last year 1500 were turned in.

\$50,000 Worth of Gas Lost In Shenandoah's Wild Trip In Storm
LAKESIDE, N. Y., Jan. 18.—(By The A. P.)—Undrained by the mists of the Shenandoah when she was torn from her mooring mast Wednesday night and sent on a mad ten hour flight over New Jersey, officers at the United States Naval air station here tonight had completed preliminary plans to prepare the giant ship for her trip to the polar regions next summer.

On the receipt of orders from the navy department at Washington, this afternoon, the Shenandoah was shifted from the south side of her giant hangar to the north side where she was placed on supporting posts. Tomorrow her 18 gas cells, which are still inflated, will be deflated, and the 1,750,000 cubic feet of helium gas pumped into tanks.

When two of the gas cells in the bow of the Shenandoah were broken Wednesday night, 250,000 cubic feet of helium was obtained which will make pos-

**Ohio Miners To Demand
Wage Raise, Six Hour Day**

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 18.—(By The A. P.)—United Mine Workers of Ohio turned a deaf ear to pleas that they refrain from demanding an increase in wages at the closing session of their convention here today.

In formulating wage scale recommendations for presentation to the international convention at Indianapolis they approved conditions which in effect contemplate a 25 per cent increase, in addition to time and a half for over time and double time for holidays and Sundays, work previously paid for on a straight time basis.

Demand 6 Hour Day
The wage demands call for a six hour day and a five day instead of a six day week, with a 25 per cent increase for tonnage, yardage and dead work, to equalize compensation. This demand would increase the tonnage rate from 34 cents to \$1.17 1/2, and day work from 93 1/2 cents to \$1.25 an hour.

In addition delegates disregarded silence of the wage scale committee on the subject of the "penalty" clause in the present contract, adopting a demand for the removal of this provision by an almost unanimous vote.

The "penalty" clause was put into general effect during the war period and provides for fines for miners participating in "outlaw strikes" and for operators declaring "lockouts" in violation of contract.

Other Recommendations
Other requests embodied in the wage scale recommendations adopted by the Ohio miners include:

Uniform day wage scale for all inside and outside day labor.

Return to the "open contract" plan to permit settlement of local inequalities by the district organizations.

A two year contract to become effective April 1, 1924, and to expire March 31, 1926.

Submission of the agreement reached between the wage scale committees of

the miners and operators to a referendum vote of all members.

Prior to their adjournment the miners voted to throw their influence to the Southern Ohio coal operators in their fight to obtain adjustment of alleged discriminatory freight rates. A resolution was adopted calling upon the governor and public utilities commission to assist in obtaining proper adjustments wherever discrimination is found to exist.

Asks Governor To Act
Governor Donahue was also urged to appoint a fact finding commission composed of two miners, an operator and one citizen to investigate the coal mining industry in Ohio in order that the facts pertaining to the serious situation existing in the southern part of the state may be obtained and if possible a remedy devised.

This action was taken at the suggestion of Governor Donahue, who announced his willingness to name such a commission in an address to the delegates this afternoon.

The governor also sought support of the miners for a proposal to pay a living wage to married men in the penitentiary, which he said he would introduce at the next session of the general assembly.

Governor Donahue defended his "liberal policy" with relation to pardons, adding, "Thank God I have the strength to order more when I find them just."

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly: Will you please tell me if there is a home for the aged men in Columbus?

There is such a home on East Broad street, near Franklin Park where they admit both men and women. For further information in regard to admittance, etc., address a letter to the superintendent.

Dear Dolly: What do you think of a school teacher who takes up school at eight o'clock in the morning and keeps them in until four o'clock in the afternoon, with only an hour at noon, and no recess? Do you think she could punish them some other way?

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SOCIAL NEWS

A surprise was tendered Mrs. Louise Cunningham at her home, 1023 Conlay street, Friday evening, in honor of her 32nd birthday anniversary. A number of friends gathered and the evening was spent in music and dancing. Special music was furnished by Clyde Grady and Frank Duffy. Little Dolores Bailey entertained with special dances. At a late hour a three course luncheon was served. Those present were: Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Bradford and children, Jenn and Helen. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mosser and children, Lewis, Catherine and Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and son Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rhoden and son Rayner. Mrs. J. B. Campbell, Miss Clara Campbell, Paula Stampler, Mildred Stampler, Mrs. N. Dawson and grandchildren, Gomer, Helen Rhoden, Mrs. Alan Bailey and daughter, Dolores. Mrs. Francis McDonald, Mrs. Riley Stampler, Mr. Russell Stampler, Clyde Grady and Frank Duffy. She received many beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mooter will entertain the members of the Six-land Euchre Club and their husbands this evening at cards in their home on Third Street.

A meeting of the club women of the city and all other women interested in the improving of housing conditions will be held at 2:30 Monday afternoon at the High School. The committee is anxious to assemble all women interested in the movement and there will be many important matters discussed.

Miss Margaret Balmert of Franklin Boulevard will entertain the Kados Bridge Club this afternoon for their regular meeting.

After a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Emmert of Harvard Place, Mr. Will Grehan has returned to his home at Zanesville.

Here from Ironton, last night, to attend the joint installation services of the Royal Neighbors and Daughters Modern Woodmen of America were Mrs. Lydia Caldwell, Pearl Goff, Bertha Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Butler, and Leroy E. Caldwell.

Miss Alice Winkler of Chillicothe Street is recovering from an operation which she underwent at Hempstead Hospital several weeks ago.

Group 8 of the local order of the Eastern Star will hold an important meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30 in their hall on the sixth floor of the Masonic Temple.

Misses Mae and Leola Patterson of Pikelet will leave the twenty-eighth for New York City, by way of Niagara Falls and will sail early in February for a Mediterranean cruise.

Miss Bess Platto is spending the week-end at Delaware.

Mrs. Lynn Padan will return home Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hammer of Marietta.

Peerless City Lodge No. 271 will hold a sock social this evening at 7:30 in Dunn Hall. All members are urged to be present and bring their friends.

Miss Loraine Harris of Offshore Street will entertain the members of the Yungoigo Club Monday evening.

After a visit with Miss Mabel Hagermeyer, Mrs. C. W. Hopkins (Helen Hagermeyer) has returned to her home at Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. W. S. Sellards and daughter, Margaret of Waller Street will drive to Marion today for the week-end.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Elmer Fetter on Sinton Street. The program included an interesting paper on the subject, "The Baptist Mission Station in India," by Mrs. Charles Newman. After which Mrs. A. A. Sutter read the subject, "The Love Star Ranch." Mrs. H. Stewart Tills gave the "Story of Nandamali."

A social hour concluded the afternoon with refreshments served by the committee in charge. Those in attendance were, Mrs. A. A. Sutter and son Douglas, Mrs. E. N. Fetter and son Douglas, Mrs. E. L. Correll and daughter, Martha, Mrs. H. Stewart Tills, Mrs. Sue Debo, Mrs. P. E. Pratt, Mrs. Oia Ray, Mrs. J. L. Richard, Mrs. P. J. Randall, Mrs. Charles Newman, Mrs. Harry Virgin, Mrs. Herman Klitch, and daughter Mary Jean, Mrs. George Carson, Mrs. Bert Frazier and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Clyde Virgin, Mrs. E. W. Gosvor, Mrs. James Dawson, Mrs. Anna Lake, Mrs. Lizzie W. Whitney, Mrs. Allen P. Beckett, and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Wada Bantz, Mrs. Anna Childs, Mrs. Jessie Kennedy, Miss Marie Dixon, Mrs. E. H. Gilliland and son, Elvin, Mrs. George Vangier, and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Andrew Ray and daughter, Dolores, and Mrs. Charles Milliron.

Mrs. Samuel Bush and Mrs. Ralph Bell of this city were guests of Mrs. Ellis Hurn at Ironton Thursday. They were joined for the visit by their cousin, Mrs. Elliott of Charleston.

Miss Margaret McMahon of Ninth Street will be the hostess of the meeting of the Matron and Maid Club which will be held Tuesday afternoon at the Elks Club.

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The following item is taken from the Columbus, Ohio State Journal: "Miss Annette Harvey, Huntington, W. Va., who is visiting Mrs. John H. Summers, 1416 Eastwood Ave., was entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Marmar by Mrs. Fred Rathburn.

Miss Harvey frequently visits with friends in this city.

Miss Amy McCall of Chillicothe is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Meisel of Fourth Street.

Mrs. T. D. Smith of Robinson Avenue has returned from a visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Nettie Farrell of Sixth Street who has been seriously ill for the past several days, is much improved.

A card party is being arranged for next Wednesday night at 7:30 at the social center. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Samuel Hershov, Mrs. A. Kline and Mrs. A. Goldstein. The proceeds of the party will be added to the building fund of the Jewish Temple which is being erected at the corner of Eighth and Gay Streets. All members of the congregation are urged to attend this party and give their financial support.

"MacDowell Week" as celebrated by the National Music Clubs, was appropriately observed Friday afternoon when 200 members of New Century and Women's Literary Club met together in the K. of P. Hall. At the opening of the delightful program, Mrs. Lena Elmer Reed gave a sketch of some of the MacDowell compositions. The program was composed of vocal and piano selections as follows:

"The Witches Dance" — Miss Sadie Meijer; Prelude No. 1 — First Modern Suite — Miss Helen Matthews; "A Maid Sings Light" — Mrs. C. B. Ehrman; Indian Idyl (New England Idyls) — Miss Loraine Harris; Life of MacDowell — Mrs. Charles Kinney.

(a) "The Lea"; (b) "Clover"; (c) "The Beaming Eyes" — Miss Esther Severin; (d) "A. D. MDCXX"; (e) From a Wandering Iceberg — Mrs. Clyde Knott.

The Robin Sings in the Apple Tree — Mrs. J. A. Deitzler; Mrs. John M. Stockham presided as accompanist for the soloists. An added feature that came as a pleasant surprise to the members and guests was the vocal trio "To A Wild Rose" by Mrs. O. J. Deitzler, Mrs. James Breece and Miss Bessie Mick, with Mrs. Stockham as the accompanist.

During the afternoon the following new members were taken into the New Century Club: Mrs. E. H. Dailey, Mrs. Stanley Jones, Mrs. Robert T. Halship, Mrs. Robert Townsend, Mrs. E. C. Jackson, Mrs. C. B. Ehrman, Mrs. Edgar Mussey, Misses Emma Doherty and Esther Seeringhaus.

The hostesses for the afternoon were members of the executive board, Mrs. Harry King of the New Century Club and Mrs. W. A. Eichelberger of the Woman's Literary Club had charge of the social hour.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis of Russell, Ky. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Bourgholtzer of Robinson Avenue.

The Young People's Missionary Society of Bigelow church will meet on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Floyd C. Fuller, 1910 Franklin Avenue, with members of Group 5 as hostesses. Mrs. Leslie E. Taylor, chairman, Mrs. C. E. Foster, Mrs. Maurice L. Haywood, Miss Carolyn Mackay, Alice Jackson, Elizabeth Rockwell and Minnie Pattison.

Miss Margaret Friel, who underwent an operation in Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, a few weeks ago, is recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Friel, of 1532 Eleventh Street.

Mr. Vallee Harold, senior editor of the Times Publishing Company, who has been ill for the past few weeks, left yesterday for Miami, Florida, where he will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Harold was accompanied by George M. Taylor who will return here after a week's absence.

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Devotionals — Miss Elizabeth Rockwell; Dialogue — From the Missionary Friend — Mrs. Floyd C. Fuller and Mrs. Pearl E. Selby; Report of Earthquakes in Japan — Miss Carolyn Mackay; Opening Overseas Mail — A Mystery.

Vocal Solo — Miss Helen Matthews. A valentine passing party will be one of the enjoyable features of the social hour.

Miss Barbara Shela of Eleventh Street has returned from a few days stay in New York City where she purchased goods for her department in Anderson's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Coe entertained with a charmingly appointed bridge-dinner at six-thirty last evening at their home, 502 Glover street. The table was attractively arranged for the occasion and places were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Howard Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Scudder, Mr. and Mrs. Margaret Miller. A delightful evening of bridge followed, with prizes for high and low score going to Mrs. Charles D. Scudder and Mr. Scudder, the former receiving a handsome vase and the latter a package of cards.

The Home Culture Club was entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. George Moore, 2234 Vinton Avenue, with Mrs. W. A. Ray as the assistant hostess. The meeting was very well attended and the following enjoyable program was presented:

Character Sketches of the Life of George Eliot — Mrs. George Jordan; Piano Solo (a) "I'm Just a Little Blue Boy Too"; (b) "Dear Little Boy of Mine" — Miss Elizabeth Goodman.

Reading — Maggie Tulliver — A Picture of Child Life — Mrs. Frank Webb; Reading — (a) Little Tormont; (b) Elmer Brown — Vera Moore; Book Review — Silas Warner — Mrs. W. A. Ray.

Vocal Solo — (a) Unlilt; (b) Smith's Through — Miss Charlotte Swavel. Talk — How the Radio Adds to the Pleasures of the Home — Mrs. Herbert Boring.

Reading — (a) When Company Comes; (b) Us Twins — Miss Vera Moore.

During the social hour which followed a two course lunch was served by the two hostesses. Visitors for the evening included: Mrs. Floyd Lawson, Mrs. Roscoe Donahoe, Mrs. Edward Harris, Mrs. E. E. Moore, Mrs. P. A. Cross and Miss Charlotte Swavel.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, of 1213 Fourteenth street, announce the birth of a son this morning.

Frank B. Schleinhage today received two carloads of Olds mobile Sixes — the new \$750.00 car that crossed United States on high. These cars will be on exhibition tonight and tomorrow at the salesroom, 735 Third Street. Advertisement

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

A SQUEALY RIDDLE



And one went into the Barber's Shop.

"THIS riddle," said the Riddle Lady, with a smile, "is about a most peculiar creature. I'm just about certain that nobody will guess it. Not even Nancy or Nick."

"What is it?" shouted everybody. "I'll begin at once," said the Riddle Lady, "but if anybody has worn his dunce-cap in mistake for his thinking-cap, he'd better go home and change it. But there! This is the riddle."

"They have saucy snouts and curly tails. And bodies as round as milking pails. And they like to grunt and they love to squeal. And simply adore a good square meal."

"They eat sweet apples and corn and clover. And roll in the mud till they're plastered over. And root and dig with moisty nose. To find where the juiciest turnip grows."

"The story says that one day they went to town, these brothers, on pleasure bent. One went to market, one bought roast beef. And one got lost and came to grief."

"And one went to the grocery store, the said. And bought him a slice of butter and bread. And one went into the barber's shop. And bought him a wig to wear on top."

"And one was stolen by the Piper's son Who picked him up and then did run. And one, they say, called Hickory Dave. Got a flying-machine and flew up in the air."

PEDEN NEW COACH

AT OHIO UNIVERSITY

ATTIENS, O., Jan. 19.—Announcement that Don Peden, former sport man at Illinois University, will become head of football and baseball coach at Ohio University was made tonight. Peden who last season was assistant football coach, succeeded John Heldt, University of Iowa, resigned.

Peden last summer played in the outfield for the Syracuse team of the International League and now is the property of the St. Louis Cardinals.

VILLAGE IS SEED

CINCINNATI, Jan. 19.—(By the A. P.)—A writ of mandamus was filed in the court of appeals today by County Prosecutor Charles S. Bell to recover \$4,650 which is alleged was collected as fines by the village officials of Milford from liquor law violators during 1921 and 1922. The prosecutor claims that the state bureau of uniform accounting recently found that the village owed this money to the Hamilton county treasury.

GIVES LYNCH LACING

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 19.—Eddie McKenna of New Orleans, according to sport writers, gave Joe Lynch, manager of the Chicago White Sox, a lashing in a ten round boxing bout here last night. McKenna staggered the champion several times but failed to follow up his advantage.

DIES AT BOWLING GREEN

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 19.—A. E. Thompson, 72, Lake county commissioner, died suddenly in a bowling alley at Willoughby last night, just after finishing bowling a game. Death was attributed to heart disease. His death leaves Lake county with only one active commissioner.

Mrs. Oswald Benefited by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Girardville, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because for my last two babies came. It keeps me in perfect health and I am on my feet getting meals and doing all my housework until an hour before the baby is born. A friend told me to take it and I have used ten bottles since I heard about it. I recommend the Vegetable Compound whenever I can. Just yesterday a friend was telling me how miserable she felt, and I said, 'If you start taking Lydia E. Pinkham's you will feel fine.' Now she is taking it."

Mrs. P. J. Oswald, Jr., 405 West Ogden St., Girardville, Pa.

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EARNINGS DROP

CLEVELAND, Jan. 19.—Net earnings of the Fourth Federal Reserve bank for 1923 totaled \$1,730,571, compared with \$2,533,016, in 1922.

The Charles Brabin production

6 DAYS

by Elinor Glyn

Scenario by Charles Brabin June Mathis (Editorial Director) CORINNE GRIFFITH FRANK MAYO Directed by Charles Brabin A GOLDWYN PICTURE

CORINNE GRIFFITH DESIGNS A NEW OPERA GOWN

What will they wear at the Paris opera this season? Probably the Corinne Opera Costume, designed and worn by Corinne Griffith, during the leading costume role in Goldwyn's Charles Brabin production, "Six Days" by Elinor Glyn, which comes to the Eastland Theatre on Monday for six days.

The Corinne Opera Costume is made of six pounds of sparkling brilliants and swarovski and a half of this frothy, frivolous material—you know, girls. The brilliants are fashioned into a shimmering band across the hair. Three strands of them reach from the crown of the back and reach over midbody's white shoulders to the modestly high but clinging bodice. And they trickle down the gown in shimmering threads all about, pausing only at the waist in a slim girdle.

Puffed wristlets like incandescent balloons studded with brilliant complete the Corinne Opera Costume—which is at its best with a little back lighting.

Corinne Griffith wears it in "Six Days," in which she and Frank Mayo appear under the direction of Charles J. Brabin.

Can You Read a Doctor's Prescription?

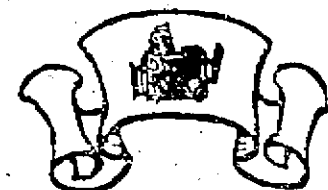
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CAMERAGRAMS



GLAD RAGS. The gentleman pictured here is by way of being some boy, if you know what we mean. A cameraman strolling nonchalantly about the Island of Java, where most of the coffee comes from, snapped him in his garden. He is the Sultan of Solo, all dressed up for a festival or something.



A BEAUTY OF THE SCREEN. The bright eyes looking at you from above belong to Miss Blanche Mehaffey, a star of Blenheim. Miss Mehaffey, a vivacious young lady still in her teens, is one of the newest bright lights in the screen ornament.



COMMUNING WITH THE GREAT SPIRIT. Look very closely and you will see Chief Three Bears in supplicating attitude. He is addressing a prayer to the Great Spirit at the Triple Cascades, Glacier National Park, Mont. The Triple Cascades are known as one of the world's most beautiful waterfalls.



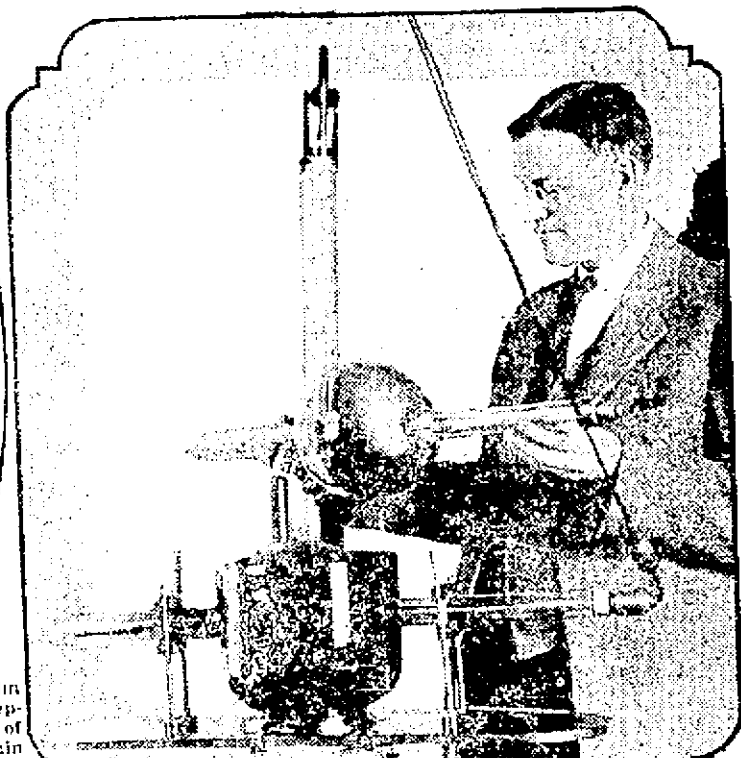
LONDON is her new home. This is the latest photograph of Mrs. Frank H. Kellogg, wife of the former United States senator who was appointed to succeed Ambassador Harvey at the Court of St. James. Mrs. Kellogg accompanied her husband to London, where she will be chaperone of the U. S. embassy.



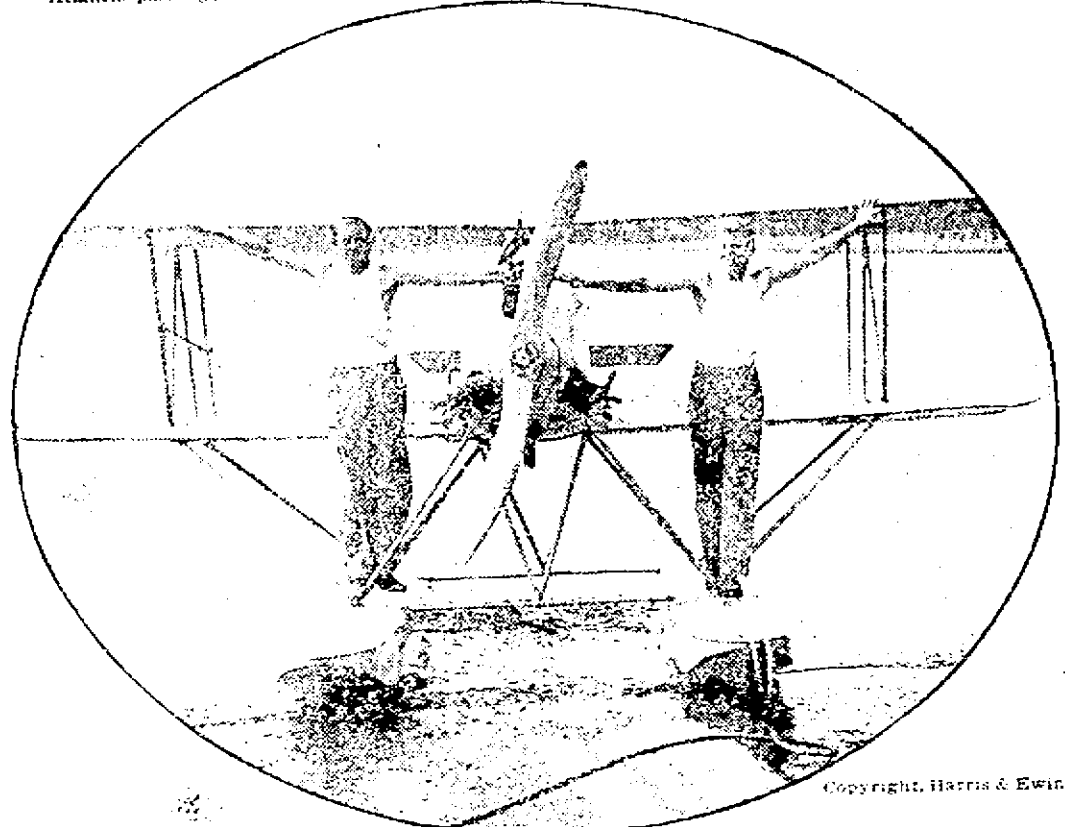
RICHSBANK HEAD. Dr. Djalmar Schacht, shown here, is the new president of the German Reichsbank. He has just recently arrived in London for a conference with British bankers and to appeal for financial help for impoverished Germany.



YOUNGSTER. Valentine John Greene, 32, has just succeeded Captain Adrian Zeeder as commander of the steamship Manchuria. Captain Zeeder retired after 50 years' service on the sea, and Captain Greene, who is shown here, was his chief officer. Greene is believed to be the youngest captain now in trans-Atlantic passenger service.



CANCER CURE. Dr. Francis C. Wood, director of the Crocker Institute of Cancer Research at Columbia University, is shown here with the new X-ray tube made especially for him. Dr. Wood, foremost authority in the United States on the subject, states this tube to be the most important development of the age for cancer treatment.



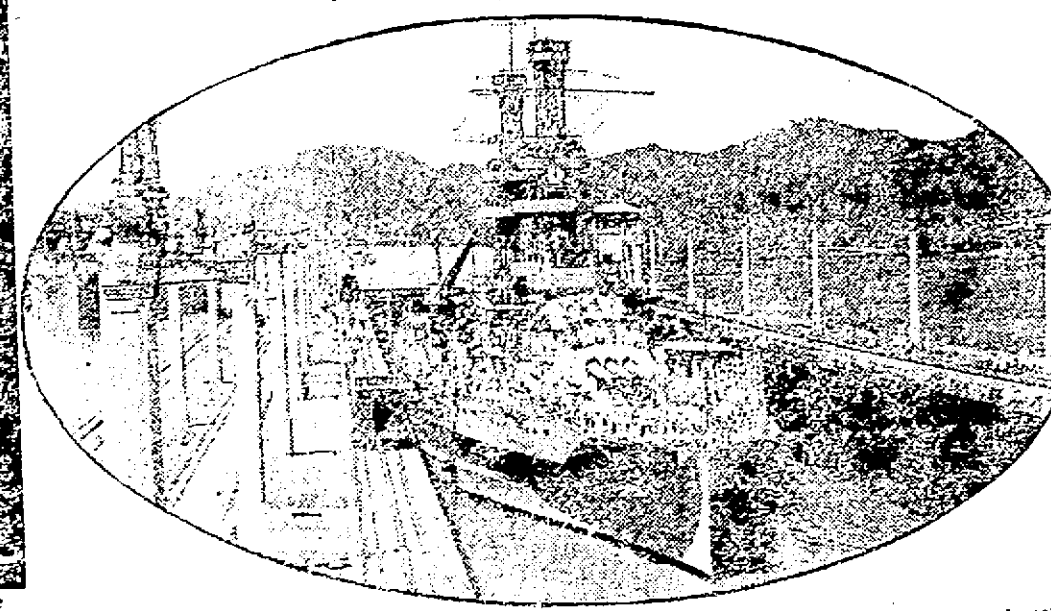
ONE OF THE SMALLEST SEAPLANES IN THE WORLD. The "Aerist Mosquito," shown here, is one of the tiniest of airplanes and was recently put through a series of tests at the naval air station at Anacostia, D. C. The seaplane is to be used as a scout with submarines. It measures 13 feet over all and weighs 520 pounds.



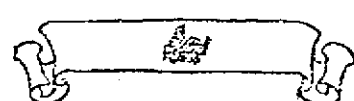
COME, HAVE A HEART. Just because these kittens are White House residents is no reason why they should be cooped up in a basket, is it? Well, they weren't kept there long—just time enough for a photographer to snap a picture. Their names are Blackie and Tike, and they were recently presented to the president.



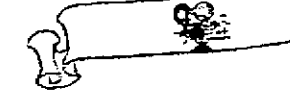
OLDEST SURVIVOR OF THE OREGON TRAIL. Here is shown Ezra Meeker, pioneer and trail blazer of the northwest. He is entertaining a group of University of Oregon co-eds with stories of how the old timers told time by shadows. The photo was taken on the university campus.



TRY TO COUNT THE JACKIES. It would take a keen eye even to approximate the number of sailors on board the dreadnaught pictured here. The man of war is the U. S. S. Arizona, shown at rest in Pedro Miguel locks, Panama Canal, just before participating in the fleet games down there.



CAMERAGRAMS



Industrials Made High Record

Although movements in Standard Oil issues were irregular many of them in that group were established at materially higher levels during the week. Standard Oil of Nebraska ranged from 208 to 231. Prairie Oil and Gas ranged from 255 to 263. Standard Oil moved up from 312 to 319. Continental Oil on its acquisition of Natural moved up from 454 to 483. Imperial Oil of Canada ranged from 473 to 474.

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| Lead | 3600 | 94 | 8 | 2 |
| Aluminum | 1900 | 250 | 275 | 20 |
| Steel | 400 | 12 | 11 | 12 |
| Cast iron | 1100 | 82 | 81 | 12 |
| Brass | 200 | 234 | 23 | 37 |
| Copper | 200 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| Aluminum | 200 | 21 | 2 | 2 |
| Steel | 200 | 278 | 21 | 21 |
| Cast iron | 300 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| Brass | 100 | 43 | 42 | 42 |
| Copper | 600 | 7 | 6 | 6 |
| Aluminum | 500 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Steel | 25 | 110 | 106 | 106 |
| Cast iron | 300 | 38 | 37 | 38 |
| Brass | 100 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| Copper | 2800 | 45 | 4 | 4 |
| Aluminum | 1600 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Steel | 300 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Cast iron | 1000 | 15 | 14 | 15 |

The qualms the national committee men had expressed about coming here for the quadrennial event, seemed to have been quite dissipated when they learned how well the wag had been paved, what facilities were at their disposal, and what attractions were being planned to make the session popular with the delegates.

Tentative plans are for a huge sports' platform to be built on the north side of the arena, extending almost to the present boxing ring. It thus will be almost in the center of the big oval, the handiest access decks will be the platform. The hand stand will be erected directly opposite.

To Keep Rates Down

Managers of the largest hotels are today to form an organization for entertainment of delegates and to adopt means of keeping rates from sky-rocketing.

John R. Young of the Merchants'

sociation, disclosed that \$200,000 would be spent by the citizens' committee in its contribution toward the success of the convention. Upward of \$200,000 already has been pledged, he said.

SOCIETY

The duet which Mrs. Mae and Mr. Chester Niggles will sing the Sunday evening service at First Evangelical church is "The Lord is My Light and My Salvation by Sulls."

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OBITUARY

Turner Funeral

Funeral services for Frank
ner, former well known West
farmer, who died suddenly Fri-
morning as the result of taking
overdose of anti-pain tablets, will
be held from the home of his daughter,
Mrs. Claude C. White, 1212 S. Twen-
teenth street, Sunday afternoon
two o'clock, with Rev. H. St.
Tillis in charge. The remains
be laid to rest in the mausoleum.

Charles Hunter
Fred Hunter, Third and
streets, received a telegram
Saturday morning that his
Mrs. Charles C. Hunter, who
passed away at 3:30 o'clock
morning at the home of a daughter,
Mrs. Johnson Calhoun, Fifth

Death was due to pneumonia a week's illness.

Mr. Hunter, who had spent of his life in Athens, O., was years of age. October 5 last, four years of his life spent in Pittsburgh. In addition the widow only two children, Gathorn and Mr. Hunter, of city survive.

Mr. Hunter was a nurse, was in the state hospitals at Athens and Gallipolis for a number of years, was also a private nurse for time.

The body is to be taken to a funeral, Mr. Hunter will attend Sunday for Athens to attend funeral and burial services.

Word was received by the day conveying the news of the death of Miss Ann Fowler, who was suddenly in Ann Arbor, Friday. She had been on a mission work the past week. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fowler, formerly known residents of Fort Worth. Before Mr. Fowler was moved to Zanesville several years ago, Mr. Fowler conducted a store at Eleventh and Lincoln streets on Robinson avenue. He operated a chain of grocery stores in Ohio, with headquarters at Zanesville. Miss Ann Fowler is survived by her following brothers: Rev. E. J.

EXCHANGE

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| Austria: demand 6011. |
| Rumania: demand 4974. |
| Argentina: demand 3277. |
| Brazil: demand 10,62. |
| Montreal: demand 97%. |

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5-Funeral Directors
6-Insurance and Cemetery Lots
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8-Societies and Lodges
9-Strayed, Lost, Found
10-LEGAL

AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles For Sale 11

MAXWELL-1923 sport model. Seven months old. In fine condition. Phone 1812-R.

SOME OF BOWER'S USED CAR BARGAINS--

1 W. K. SEDAN, JUST SAME AS NEW.

2 W. K. TOURINGS, BOTH IN FINE SHAPE.

4 LITTLE OVERLAND TOURINGS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE.

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1 SPECIAL 6 COUPE AT A BARGAIN.

1 REO TOURING, NEW PAINT.

1 REO TOURING, CHEAP AT \$75.

1 BUICK 6, NEW PAINT.

2 BUICK 6'S, CHEAP.

1 PAIGE SEDAN.

2 FORD COUPE, NEW PAINT \$225.

2 FORD TOURINGS, NEW PAINT.

YOUR CHOICE, \$275.00.

COME IN AND LOOK THESE OVER BEFORE YOU BUY. TERMS IF DESIRED.

F. E. BOWER.

ROBINSON AND OFFICERS.

PHONE 159.

USED CARS--High class. Will sell or trade or will sell yours. Phone 1812-R.

"WHEN" Better Cars Are Built, Buick Will Build Them.

MacDonell-Buick Co. Phone 2500.

FORD--Good running order. Extras. \$150 cash. Call 2922-R.

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Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts 13

WHEELS, PAIRS--1923 model roadster wheels, 1 set clincher wheels with front fenders. Phone 807-L.

WHEELS--Slightly used 1921 model roadster body and 1 set clincher wheels with front fenders. Phone 807-L.

Garages--Autos For Hire 14

2ND ST. 706--Garage. Convenient room for 2 or 3 machines. \$2.50 month. Phone 2102-X.

7TH ST. 1652--Garage for rent. Phone 1505-N.

FRONT ST. 817--Garage for rent. Phone 1292.

WASHINGTON ST. 1009--Garage for rent. Phone 3550-G.

CHARLES ST. 1616--Garage for rent. Phone 1505-N.

Repairing Service Stations 16

AUTO TOPS--We repair old curtains. Make them door opening. Prices right. Schreck's. Court between Front and Second. Phone 324.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Service Offered 18

CARPENTER WORK--Wanted. Phone 1972-R from 5 to 7 p. m.

NURSING--Wanted by day, night or hour by a graduate nurse. Call 221-Y.

UNRECLAIMED--Recovered, repaired. Lock and key smith. Saws, solvers, knives sharpened. Celluloid fixtures repaired. 1350 15th. Phone 1232.

VAULT CLEANING--Wanted. Expert work. Reasonable charges. Phone 231-L.

Dressmaking and Millinery 21

REMAINING--Wanted. Coats and jackets to be refitted. Reasonable charges. Chester Kerr, 1610 Eighth St. Phone 2312-L.

Moving, Trucking, Storage 25

MOVING--Hauling wanted \$2.50 a load. Careful work. Phone 2467 or 1865-Y. John Q. Arthur.

STORAGE--Wanted. Local or long distance. Good covered truck. Phone 506-L. P.H.S. 732 Fifth Street.

Professional Services 28

CLASSES--WRITTEN GUARANTEE! WINCHELL'S OPTICAL PARLOR. 1220 Ninth St. Phone 278.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

FURNITURE AND AUTO--Upholstering. Expert work. Schreck's. Court between Front and Second. Phone 324.

EMPLOYMENT

Help--Wanted--Female 32

CANVASER--Lady. House to house. Good salary. Opportunity for advancement. Apply 108 Sinton.

GIRLS--Dining room girl with reference. Apply in person. Shamblin Restaurant, 1441 Norfolk St. Also experienced cook wanted.

HOUSEWORKER--Middle aged woman. Reasonable wages. Phone 319-Y. 1405 Kinney's Lane.

HOUSEWORKER--Experienced girl wanted for general housework. Phone 419-L.

LADY--Wanted in confinement case. Call at 1419 Eleventh street.

WOMAN--To do housework and assist in caring for child. No washing. 1125 Second.

Help--Wanted--Male 33

AGENTS--Big money is being made selling our guaranteed trees, shrubs and roses; every home owner a prospective customer; free equity money; experience unnecessary; exclusive territory. Allen Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y.

DRIVER--Boy of young man to drive Nash coupe. Bring reference. Farver, 512 Second street. Call after 5 p. m.

MESSANGER--BOY WANTED WITH SOME HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION. PREFERRED. APPLY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE OF THE SELBY SHOE CO.

NEWSBOYS--

WANTED. Boys to sell The Morning Sun on streets; bustling boys make between 75c and \$1.50 before school hours. Call at circulation department between 5 and 6 p. m.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board 68

CHARLES ST. 1095--Furnished front room for rent.

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CENTER ST. 310--3 light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1153-H.

FRONT AND MADISON--2 furnished housekeeping rooms. Phone 1248-N.

FRONT ST. 834--Furnished light housekeeping room. Phone 2063-Y.

GALLIA ST. 4126--3 furnished light housekeeping rooms. 33 week. Private entrance. Bath. Gas, bath. Phone 1131-W.

GAY ST. 1020--2 light housekeeping rooms downstairs; all conveniences. Phone 1131-W.

GRANT ST. 2303--Three unfurnished rooms for rent. Phone 2573.

ROBINSON AVE. 1816--Two furnished rooms for rent. Modern. Phone 1578-Y.

WASHINGTON ST. 810--2 newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern. Inquire after 5 p. m.

WILLIAMS ST. 1715--2 furnished rooms. Bath, gas, electricity. Private family. Phone 1253-X.

APARTMENT--For rent furnished 4-room downstairs apartment. Phone 1303-N.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats 74

8TH ST. 215--Downstairs flat with water, gas, electricity. Salem Shaw. Phone 1131-W.

DONALDSON PLATS--Sixth and off. Here. Pine, modern flats, 4 large rooms, 3 closets, large cupboard. Sub. Phone 911-R.

Business Places For Rent 75

IAN'S STORE--1218 Gallia Ave. Inquire of George Adams, 1840 Tull Street.

Farms and Land For Rent 76

BOTTOM FARM--Good farm for rent. Apply Stahl's Drug Store. Market St. Phone 157.

Houses For Rent 77

8TH ST. 1012--8-room house. Very modern. Will rent or lease. A. E. Conliffe, 1012 8th St. Phone 1290-N.

BLANK AVE.--Four room cottage with bath. In good repair. Phone 1434.

HASTINGS HILL--Four room house. One acre of ground. One mile east of Solonville. Inquire for Mrs. V. Mershon on the Hastings Hill.

MARSH ROAD--7 room house. \$15 in advance. Phone 2315.

MARSH ROAD--Six room house. Bath. Phone 680 after 7 a. m. 2367-L after 5 p. m.

MILLDALE ROAD--New Boston. 2-room house. Phone 3-R-3 Pullerton, Ky. or Schaefer Barber Shop, New Boston Hotel.

SHOTO TRAIL--Three room cottage. Phone 219 or 1718-R.

WEST SIDE--2 four room cottages. Inquire 241 Market.

Wanted--To Rent 81

SMALL FARM--Close to town. Call Boston 131-R.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate 8

SHONKWILER, W. H.--List and deal in local suburban and farm properties. Phone 119-L.

THE LAND OFFICE--Buys, sells and exchanges homes, business properties, and farms on a basis of 2 per cent commission within the city or within 5 miles of city limits. All phones 125.

Farms and Land For Sale 83

FARMS--120 acres, 1000 fruit trees, 5 acres timber; 7-room house, bath, running water piped from spring; wired for electricity, gas, hardwood finish, house new. Three other houses on land. On paved highway. All have other farms for sale. Call Solonville 223. Address, Box 110, Portsmouth, Ohio.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 84

SMALL PAYMENT--

New five room brick and stucco bungalow. Water, gas, electricity, and bath between bedrooms. Tapestry mantle, sanitary sink, and full size basement. Lot 40x120. Can be finished to suit purchaser. Possession in ten days. \$500 cash. Price \$5,200.00. The Peoples Realty Co. Phone 2388-Y.

Lots For Sale 85

NORWOOD PARK--Subdivision, lot number 62. \$200.00 on terms. Orin Danks, Room 19 Krieger Bldg. Phone 1105.

SAW MILL--In good condition. We will demolish it. Lonnie Graca. South Webster, Ohio.

Suburban For Sale 87

BUENA VISTA--Summer home. 41 rooms, carbide lighting system. Cellar, barn, out-buildings, 2 acres rich land, orchard. In sight of school and church. \$2,300. Immediate possession if sold at once. Address C. A. Pitts, Buena Vista, Ohio.

Wanted--Real Estate 89

CITY PROPERTY--If its Real Estate you want to buy or sell, see us. We'll do the rest. P. V. Burkhardt. Phone 287.

PARMS--Wanted and city property to sell. List yours with me. Real estate and services. Oscar Tillet, 2093 Gallia. Phone 281-X.

File Suit Against "Flooring Trust"

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.--(By the A. P.)--Indictments charging 32 individuals of 23 different firms manufacturing maple, birch and sheen flooring with violation of the Sherman anti trust law were returned before Federal Judge Adam C. Cliffe today. The firms named are said to manufacture 70 per cent of all the flooring sold in the United States. Most of them are located in Michigan, some in Wisconsin and Minnesota and one in New York.

It is maintained by the government that the firms whose officials have been named are members of the Maple Flooring Manufacturers' association. In an attempt to show that the association had formed a combination in restraint of trade, government attorneys displayed a weekly bulletin issued by the association carrying figures on prices charged by the entire membership, the amount of sales by each firm and the amount of materials on hand.

Judge Cliffe issued bench warrants to order the appearance of the individuals named in answer to the indictment and fixed bonds in each case at \$5,000.

MOHLER CONFESSES TO BURNING BARNS

LIMA, O., Jan. 19.--(By the A. P.)--William Mohler, 78, who Monday confessed to killing his wife, Katherine, today admitted that he had set fire to two barns on farms of his neighbors, Chris Gratz and Homer Gratz. The barns were burned October week last November, entailing a loss of \$12,000. Mohler made his confession to Sheriff Harvey Crosson today.

Unable to swim, John Riemschneider, driver of the truck, grasped one of the barns around the body when he was thrown into the water and clung to it until the animal reached the river bank. About half of the barn was drowned.

An investigation into the collapse of the bridge was started by Mayor Wm. A. Magee.

DECLINES CALL

ZANESVILLE, O., Jan. 19.--Dr. W. L. Whallon, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of this city, has formally declined a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church at Evanston, Ill. Dr. Whallon has served the local church for the past 13 years.

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PHONE 605

AN INVESTMENT--

Yielding 15 per cent. New 12 rooms, modern, large halls, two complete baths, electricity, double garage; lot 45x125. Will bring \$60,000. Call 1210. Price \$25,000. Terms \$5,000 cash. J. E. Shump, Realtor. Phone 2571.

EQUITY IN DILLON HOME--

Having been transferred by my employer to another city, I will sell my equity in five room house in fine neighborhood on Hilltop, cheap. House in fair condition, and has water and gas; fine lot. I owe \$2,000.00 on property, payable \$300.00 per month; will take \$1,000 cash and a good used car for my equity. Box 357, City.

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DISTRUST STILL RULES

IN view of the problems of a non-military character which confront Russia, it might be thought that the soviet government would seek to reduce the army and devote the money needed for this to the relief of the millions reported starving, not to mention those that have already succumbed. Lenin and Trotsky have made the announcement that the Russian army will be maintained at its present strength, if not increased. The claim is made that Russia would be attacked by her enemies if the military arm should be weakened, and that safety lies only in retaining the soldiers under arms.

It will not do to dismiss the claims of the Russian leaders as unwarranted, for conditions in the nations touching Russia on the west are not of the most reassuring character. Poland, Rumania and the Baltic states have not reached that degree of peace with Russia which gives assurance of the future, and the people of the Ukraine have not become reconciled entirely to the rule of the soviet.

In view of these conditions, it is hardly just to blame the Russians for maintaining an army of large proportions as long as neighboring states are giving so much attention to the maintenance of military strength. Russia may be warranted in being suspicious of neighbors, just as they profess to look with suspicion upon any movements of the soviet government.

As long as these conditions prevail in middle and eastern Europe and France emphasizes the necessity of strong military forces, it will be useless to expect any marked improvement in economic conditions there. Men who are carrying guns not only are not engaged in any productive enterprises, but they constitute a drain upon the resources of others. Little improvement can be expected in Europe as long as distrust finds expression in military preparedness.

Germany insists that reparations be fixed at a sum they can pay. Then they'll decide that they won't pay it.

Trotsky is said to have gone to the Black Sea for his health, though we think the Red Sea would be more appropriate.

A Dublin newspaper announces that Hiram Johnson has accepted the Republican nomination for president. It's premature at best.

While our method of conducting a presidential campaign might admit of improvement, at least we carry it on with less bloodshed than the Mexicans.

While it is alleged that free speech often is suppressed in America, whatever the situation may be it does not discommode President Coolidge a particle.

While there is astonishment at the magnificence of Tut's tomb we suspect that it is not equal to that of the folks a few thousand years ago who had to pay for it.

First Egyptian minister to the United States who brings with him his own Mohammedan chaplain does not abandon his religion while away from home, as do some Christians.

MAN OWAK'S PROGRAM

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The 1924 racing season holds unusual interest for lovers of thoroughbreds because it will bring out, as two-year-olds, the first of the get of the famous Man o' War, which as a three-year-old was never defeated, and except for Zev, proved the greatest money winning thoroughbred in American turf history.

Twelve colts and fillies of Man o' War are qualified for two-year-old racing this year. All but one of the number are owned by Samuel D. Hildreth whose colors Man o' War carried, and W. M. Jeffords, L. K. Maddox, who was Mr. Hildreth's adviser when the latter purchased Man o' War for \$50,000 as a yearling, owns the remaining colt.

Nine of the twelve already have been given names that suggest their famous sire. The list, with dam and owner, follows:

Flagship, ch. c., out of Understudy; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jeffords.
Homestead, ch. c., out of Batsman; Mr. and Mrs. Jeffords.

First Mate, ch. c., out of Study; S. D. Hildreth.

Friendship Two, ch. c., out of Sea Nones; J. K. Maddox.

Maid of Arms, ch. f., out of Thrasher; S. D. Hildreth.

Florence Nightingale, br. f., out of The Nurse; Mr. and Mrs. Jeffords.

Flotilla, ch. f., out of Santissima; S. D. Hildreth.

OFFICE DOILED UP

Several changes in furniture have been made at the police station in the past few days, the old desk from which magistrates, in former years, were wont to dispense justice having been taken into the chief's private office for the use of Chief Plath.

The platform in the old mayor's court room now stands in solitary dignity without an iron safe to keep it company.

The sergeant is now entrenched between a flat topped telephone desk and a roll top desk which was formerly the property of chiefs.

The mayor's court room is now used as a police assembly room, there roll calls are held, and orders given out to the men at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. each day.

One Reinstated

One member was reinstated and two applications received at Thursday night's regular meeting of Portsmouth Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. Three candidates will be initiated next week. No meeting of the degree team will be held Sunday.

NEW YORK DAY-BY-DAY

BY O. O. MCINTIRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Ziggy was had his annual moult. It always comes after the premiere of a new Follies. He holds up his artistic hands and cries "No more Ziggy Follies." He sighs at production most lonesome place in the world. The first moult cost \$15,000 and the present one \$250,000, he says.

But next year Ziggy will be back "glorifying the American girl." The Follies is as much of an institution as the seventh inning stretch and Ziggy has made a fortune producing them. First nighters smile at his cry of increasing costs. They wonder if he remembers the first Follies seats were \$150 each and his latest one \$22.50 a seat, and most of the choice seats fell into the hands of speculators who doubled the price. There is no doubt Ziggy is the pace maker in spectacular revues.

A dozen shows have stolen his name—the Follies. Yet the public has been mighty good to him. He lives the most extravagant of any man in New York. A country estate, a Park Avenue apartment, the finest suite in a smart New York hotel, a villa at Palm Beach and a Paris home—are all his.

To say nothing of six imported motor cars. Since his English valet and things like that. Without the Follies he would have to retrench. He tells of two men who did nothing but move chairs about for six days during rehearsals drawing \$172.

Still I know of a fellow who did nothing but sing one risqué song for five minutes in his show, drawing down \$300 a week. The truth is that so long as Ziggy receives public patronage he will continue. But some day the public is going to revolt at high theatre prices here. This has not been a particularly conspicuous season in the theatre. Great is killing the goose that laid the golden egg. The public is tired of paying \$10 to see a \$2 show. There is an increasing quality about the people who made it a custom to attend the theatre twice a week—a New York idea. Instead, they go to the movies.

New York aldermen do not seem to change much with the years. They remain the same pudgy, derelict types once glorified in Puck. The scene was an aldermanic chamber. An excited fellow stuck his head in the door and yelled: "Your saloon's on fire!" And the alderman showed a wild scramble among broken chairs and tables of every-thing in the place.

It was one of those gray days with a gripping fog blowing up from the harbor and dull lights of light shining in the skyscrapers in New York at such a time remains in doors. There is an eerie drop. On East 32d street a blind man was playing an eerie tune on his accordion. Across the way a

furtive rag picker was poking about with his spiked stick. And a one carriage funeral moved slowly eastward. We sometimes think of a little hut at the forks of the creek near an Ohio town as being the most lonesome place in the world. It is far away from the road and as quiet as the tomb. Yet it doesn't compare to New York on one of those gray, foggy days.

New York has so many clubs these days, yet in none have I seen the camaraderie of a club that I know about, but which has membership in all parts of the world. It was started in Dayton, O., by a lovable newspaper telegraph operator—Captain Charles Melrose. In this club we are all Captains. We pay no dues, we have no clubhouse, yet all feel that if any member happened to be in trouble the Captains would rush valiantly to the rescue. Since the Captain Club was formed many of its members have gone to high places—to the bench, to executive control of big enterprises and to leadership in the arts. Yet we keep in touch with one another. Captain Melrose has gone, but his sterling qualities and courage in affliction have been an inspirational thing in our lives.

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Doc Koko's KOLUM

THE LEAP YEAR MESSAGE

I had not thought to let you know I had not meant your love to seek. But something in your voice, my own, A wistful tender undertone, Said all you dared not speak.

My fame and gold a barrier stood To separate us two, And knowing that it always would If I kept silent, as I should, I reached my hands to you.

Forgive me if I seem too bold, Forget me if I'm wrong; Your voice and action told Of deep affection; should fame and gold

Keep us apart for long? Should you go lonely down the years, Should I shed useless anguished tears, When with a word or two The barrier is cast aside?

Forget your foolish, foolish pride, And claim your willing leap Year bride, And take her home with you.

—Ellie Tatum Diebel in Kansas City Times.

Is This An Odds One?

Jones: "I've bought a new car!"

Blair: "Ford?"

Jones: "Ford the luvva Mike! I Nash yer, can't yer speak King-lish?"

Where There's a Won't

An old German farmer heard that his bank was on the verge of bankruptcy and hurried into town to draw out his money.

"I want my money! I want my money! Every cent!" he almost screamed.

"Well, don't get excited; I'll get it for you," replied the clerk of that perfectly solvent institution.

"O-o-oh! So? Can I have it?"

"Certainly."

"Well, den, I don't want it."

All Serene

The Florida beach and blue sea looked inviting to the tourist from the North, but before venturing out to swim he thought to make sure.

"You're certain there are no alligators here," he inquired of the guide. "Nonsense," replied that functionary, grinning broadly. "Ain't no 'gators 'ere."

Reassured, the tourist started out. As the water leaped about his chest he called back:

"What makes you so sure there aren't any alligators?"

"They've got too much sense," followed the guide. "The sharks down skinned dead all away."—American Legion Weekly.

An Exemplary Life

"Have you a good hoodligger?"

"Good?" I should say so. The chap I patronize sings in the choir.

Abe Martin



We'd never know some fellows had been prominent politically if we didn't read that they'd resumed the practice of law. After your mother dies there's no market for a personal grievance.

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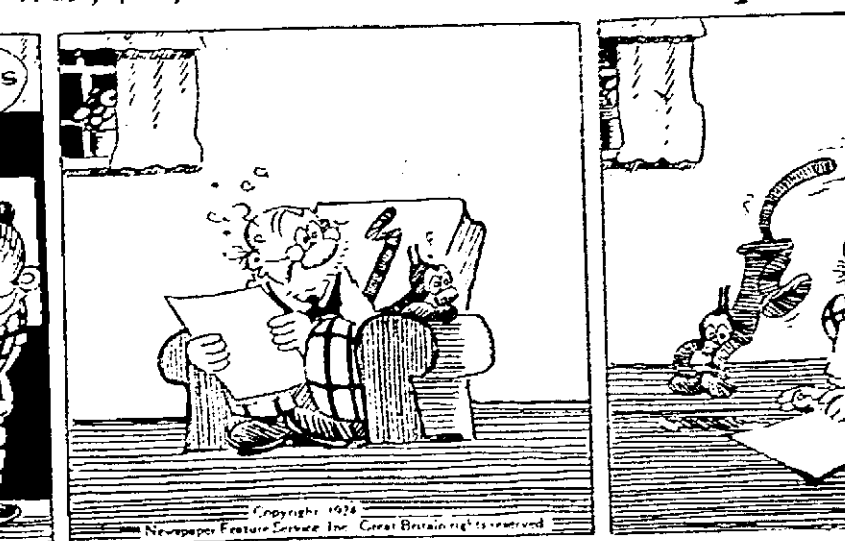
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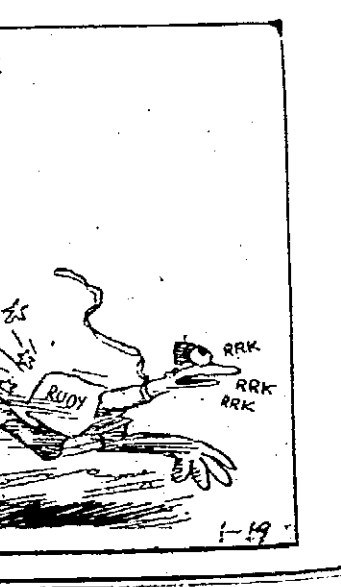
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Barney Is Some Bird At Being Gallant



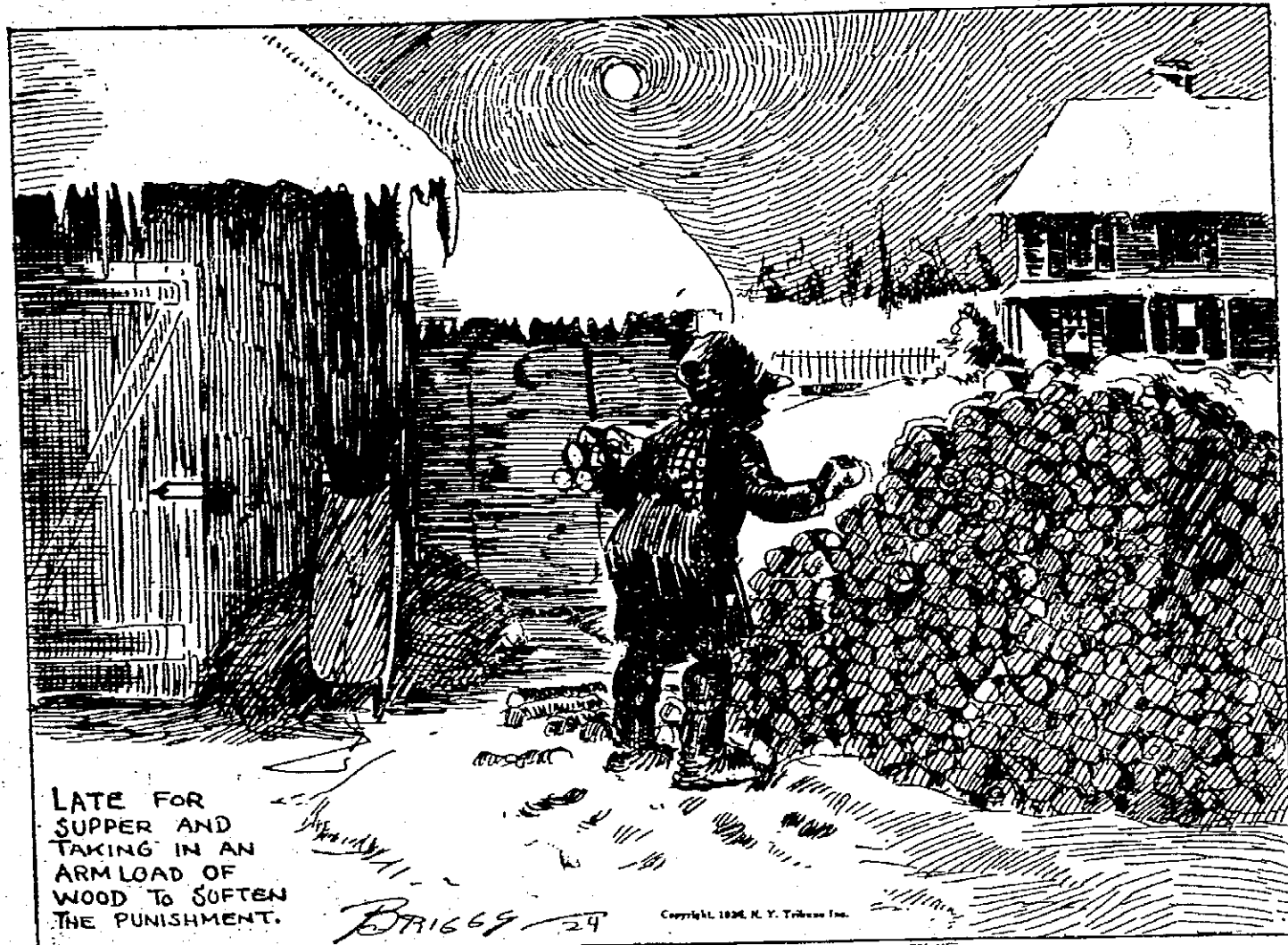
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THE DAYS OF REAL SPORT — BY BRIGGS



The Grandstand Empire

A northern man, spending the summer in the South, went to see the last game of a series between two local teams. For a time he could not observe any umpire, but at last he spied him sitting up in the grandstand among the spectators.

"Great guns, man!" the Northerner exclaimed to a native. "What's the umpire doing up in the grandstand?"

"Well," the native explained, "the spectators used to accuse him of bum work so much that he allowed that if the folks up in the grandstand could see every play so darned good, he'd better go up there to do his umpiring."—Every-bodies.

His Kind Invitation

Professor (after trying first-hour class): "Some time ago my doctor told me to exercise early every morning with dumb-bells. Well, he classed me with the tomorrow class for breakfast!"—The Watchman-Examiner.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

Homeopathic Doses

BY BERTON BRALEY

"PUT AN AD in the paper once."

But that was one of my foolish stunts.

Said Firam Gubbins, "I wanta say That advertising don't nohow pay. A two-inch ad was what I run. In just one issue and only one. For that was enough to show me plain

That advertising don't bring no gain."

SAID the Ad Man then, "If you used that dope

In estimating the worth of soap, You'd wash one finger—and then assert That soap had little effect on dirt. You'd dip one foot in the bath some night

And claim that bathing was useless quite; That soap and water were more or less Completely futile for cleanliness.

"If you'd be clean you must get the habit

Instilled by Ivory, Pears or Rabbit. You must wash a lot in a thorough way

And bathe—well, anyhow Saturday! And advertising is much the same. It's sleeping at it that wins the game. And he—you'll pardon me—is a dunce Who puts an ad in the paper—once!" (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO

